

First Public Meeting

TMDL Implementation Plan for Upper Rapidan Watershed
Impairments in Madison, Orange, Greene and Albemarle Counties
January 28, 2015 at Town of Orange Public Works
January 29, 2015 at PVCC Library in Stanardsville
6:00 pm

AGENDA

- I. Welcome and Introductions
Jenny Biché and Michelle Edwards, Rappahannock Rapidan Regional Commission
- II. TMDL Implementation Plan Development for Upper Rapidan Watersheds: Plan Elements and Public Process

*Byron Petruskas, Blue Ridge Environmental Services and
May Louise Sligh, VA DEQ TMDL Nonpoint Source Coordinator*
- III. Implementation Success in Surrounding Watersheds
Greg Wichelns, Culpeper SWCD
- IV. Q & A Session
Led by - Jenny Biché and Michelle Edwards, Rappahannock Rapidan Regional Commission
- V. Sign-up and break-out session for Working Groups
Agricultural and Residential (agendas on back)

Agricultural Working Group

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1. Welcome and introductions
2. Review of working group functions: agriculture fact sheet
3. Overview of bacteria sources for the impaired area
4. Agricultural operations in area
5. Proposed BMPs and corrective actions to attain bacteria reductions in TMDLs
6. Education and outreach methods
7. Next working group meeting, time & place?
8. Who will be steering committee representative?

Facilitators: Charlie Lunsford, DEQ and Byron Petrauskas, BRES
Scribe: Jenny Biche, RRRC

Residential Working Group Agenda

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1. Welcome and introductions
2. Review of working group functions: residential and recreational interests
3. Overview of bacteria sources for the impaired areas
4. Septic System concerns: straight pipes and failing systems, alternative systems, sewer areas and costs
5. Pet-source bacteria concerns
6. Proposed BMPs and corrective actions to attain bacteria reductions in TMDLs
7. Education and outreach methods
8. Next working group meeting, time & place?
9. Who will be steering committee representative?

Facilitators: May Sligh, DEQ and Rebecca Shoemaker/Jen Carlson, DEQ
Scribe: Michelle Edwards/Kate Gibson, RRRC